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FRIDAY, February 25, 1898.

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We have a few Coats and Pants left which is second-handed, and will sell them very cheap. Our Boss is in St. Louis now, buying a new stock, so call at once and buy your second-hand clothing, as you won't have long.

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Farmers along the line of the Edenborne and the Monroe and Natchitoches railroad should plant very little cotton this year, as corn, pork, potatoes, oats, etc., will be in much greater demand than cotton, and at a better price—and cotton-pickers will be a little "scarcer" than they were last Fall.

We'll bet some of the farmers on Cane river, on the Bourbeaux and on Red river are planting corn right now.

We took a little spin through ward 4 Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, in the interest of the tax for the Monroe and Natchitoches railroad.

Successful Physicians.

We heartily recommend Dr. Hathaway & Co., of 337 St. Charles Street, New Orleans, La., as being perfectly reliable and remarkably successful in the treatment of chronic diseases. They cure where others fail. They never employ traveling doctors. Our readers if in need of medical help should certainly write them, and you will receive free of charge their expert opinion of your case by return mail. They guarantee their cures.

Mr. M. M. Fisher of Clarence, returned Tuesday from New Orleans, where he had bought his Spring stock of goods.

Mr. J. C. Henry of Campti, has an idea of moving the framing of that fine old building, on the front, just above his residence, to Natchitoches, and build a residence of it.

The Police Jury met Monday to promulgate and pass ordinances relative to the Edenborne railroad election.

Stolen

One large bay Horse, 7 years old, white spot in face, branded on left thigh J I M; walks and paces under saddle. About 15 or 16 hands high. Was taken from my lot on Feb. 9th, 1898, and left instead, one iron gray pony, 3 years old. Any information will be rewarded.

J. A. TAYLOR,
Alpha P. O., La.

An old negress was found dead last Tuesday morning on Mr. W. B. Sutton's place on the Saline. She had been crazy for some time, and it is supposed, wandered out into the field that cold night, and froze to death.

Our good friends Messrs. J. B. Landreaux and E. S. Self of ward 4, are smiling over new babies this week.

CASTORIA.
The family signature of *Dr. H. H. Hathaway* is on every wrapper.

Mr. Adolph Vienne of Trichel P. O., agreeably surprised his friends around home by taking home a wife last Monday. Miss Mena Sompayrac, is the handsome and accomplished bride.

MARRIED:

At the residence of the bride's father, on Cane river, Monday, Feb. 21st, 1898, Mr. F. A. Vienne to Miss Mena Sompayrac. Rev. Father Andres officiating.

We wish the young couple a happy and prosperous journey through life.

Music hath charms to soothe a savage, no doubt; but the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette are not traveling for the express purpose of soothing savages. Neither are they trying to educate the people. They are entertaining the public, and in a manner that is thoroughly enjoyable from first to last. Their program is full of novelty and artistic elegance, besides giving our readers many opportunities to indulge in the world-famous American laugh. If you want to be happy on the evening of Tuesday, March 8th, 1898, you can be by going to hear this company's entertainment.

CASTORIA.

We delayed our paper a little this week to give our readers the result of the railroad elections in wards 1 and 4.

The Opera seems to have done a swell business Monday and Tuesday nights.

We have no recollection of so inviting a musical program as that of the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette which appears here on Tuesday, March 8th, 1898, having been before offered our readers. Look over their program carefully and you will agree with us that it is too inviting to miss attending.

Railroad Election.

The Monroe and Natchitoches railroad tax carried ward 1 by an immense majority, there being only 2 votes against it.

It carried the Clarence box of ward 4 by 18 majority, and \$33,790. The Campti box of 4, carried in property, but lost the vote by 9 majority. This gives the ward by 9 votes and over \$34,000 property,—and gives the railroad everything it has asked for.

J. W. Cockerham, Jr., of ward 4 is a man whose words better than his bond, and his bond would be gilt edge for \$10,000 or more.

Our people are getting a progressive spirit aroused in themselves, and have been fortunate in opportunities to display it. Wards 1, 3 and 4, have been especially so, each having the promise of two railroads.

The good people of ward 4 voted sensibly on last Wednesday, just as everybody thought they would do. Even the fellow who fought it so bitterly, didn't fool any one by his promises of support.

Mr. A. E. Sompayrac came up from his sugar plantation near New Orleans, last Wednesday, to vote for the Monroe and Natchitoches railroad.

Mr. J. C. Henry did some fine work for the railroad tax at the Campti box.

Mr. J. R. Voiers' vote for the railroad was pure patriotism, as the river is between him and the railroad.

Mr. S. B. Perot, a merchant of Campti, voted for the road, though it will probably draw some trade away from his town. He loves his country.

Thanks to everybody who voted for the railroads.

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every traitor as did the men of the American revolution; let this be done and we shall drive every tory to ignominious defeat. Let this be done and we shall re-establish what is almost overthrown—a government of the people, by the people and for the people. (Signed.)

MARION BUTLER,
Chairman, Peoples Party National Committee.

Also signed by 25 senators and representatives of the populist party.

SILVER REPUBLICANS ADDRESS.

The paper of the silver republicans is as follows:

The cunning plans of the beneficiaries of the gold standard and the advocates of monopoly are fast nearing completion; they need but to win one more victory to become supreme and to be able to defy the sovereignty of the people for generations. The policy of the republican administration is a plain confession that the secret authors of the St. Louis platform of 1896 are in absolute control of that power. Power thus secured by false pretenses is to be ruthlessly used to carry out the ulterior designs of the conspirators. The slow processes of 25 years are rapidly advancing to their goal; the near approach to which now seems to warrant dispensing with the caution and deceit that have hitherto been the necessary preliminaries of success, but this openness of purpose is the opportunity of patriotism. Honest men should hesitate no longer if opposed to the establishment of the gold standard in all its rigors, if opposed to the retirement of government currency, if opposed to the erection of a great association of banks of issue as the all-dominating power in the nation, if opposed to every kind of trust and monopoly, the offspring and adjunct of the money power.

Before this awful and imminent peril to the institutions of our country, every ambition must melt away and every partisan contention must be stifled. While this issue remains unsettled, democrat, populist and silver republicans must stand shoulder to shoulder in common cause. United we can save the republic the last refuge of self-government, the one remaining hope of liberty, to succeeding centuries. The policy of our foes is to divide us, that they may conquer us. Let not self-interest, pride, carelessness or folly afford them hope that we shall furnish them arms against ourselves. In every state and congressional district in the union the closest co-operation should be our watchword. After full counsel together we should, wherever there is a contest, choose a strong champion of the common cause and to him should be given the earnest support and true allegiance of every opponent of the party of gold and monopoly. The man or organization that in this grave crisis becomes responsible for discordant counsels or divided energies does not deserve the blessings we are all striving to preserve.

Patriots and Citizens: We call upon you to unite in this great common service of citizenship and patriotism. No Man need surrender his party convictions. No existing organization need be abandoned. While striving to overthrow a common enemy no good purpose is served by emphasizing points on which we differ. But until this final assault of the enemy upon the last ramparts of our industrial and social independence is repelled, until the control of the money system of the country is rescued from the hands of special interests

and assured to the whole people, the members of the great armies of political reform in every part of the United States should act in mutual justice and harmonious co-operation for the general welfare. To this object, thus urged upon our friends everywhere we hereby pledge, jointly and severally our earnest and constant endeavor. (Signed) CHARLES A. TOWNE, Chairman National Committee of the Silver Republican party.

Also signed by eight silver republican senators and representatives, and Fred T. Dubois. Congressman Newlands of Nevada, representing the silver party, concurs in recommending the unification of the silver forces in the coming campaign.

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